

# STATE OF NEW YORK

## LEGISLATURE OF ERIE COUNTY

**BUFFALO, N.Y., APRIL 25TH, 2013 A.D.**

**I HEREBY CERTIFY**, *That at a regular session of the Legislature of Erie County, held in the County Hall, in the City of Buffalo, on the 25th day of April, 2013, A.D., a resolution was adopted, of which the following is a true copy:*

**WHEREAS**, *the Clarence Town Park Club House originally opened in 1911 as the Automobile Club of Buffalo and was a popular destination among members traveling from across the United States, Canada and Europe to enjoy the many amenities offered; and*

**WHEREAS**, *the Clarence Town Park Club House name was implemented when the building was purchased by the Town of Clarence in 1957; and*

**WHEREAS**, *the Clarence Town Park Club House is located at 10405 Main Street in Clarence and serves as a town landmark, hosting several large community events, as well as various groups' and organizations' meetings; and*

**WHEREAS**, *the Clarence Town Park Club House is a unique structure with many outstanding features including a circular roof above the impressive entrance porch fashioned by white columns; vast verandas that encircle the building; two grand fireplaces; an open wooden staircase; and ostentatious surrounding balcony; and*

**WHEREAS**, *the Clarence Town Park Club House recently underwent major aesthetic improvements thanks to the Clubhouse Restoration Committee which focused greatly on precise detail; and*

**WHEREAS**, *the Clarence Town Park Club House is home to a 1901 clock that was created by Buffalo's famous art nouveau craftsman Charles Rohlf's for the Pan-American Exposition; and*

**WHEREAS**, *the Clarence Town Park Club House, recognized for its historical significance and uniqueness, has been listed on the National Register of Historic Places and the designated will be marked by the Town of Clarence and Clarence Historic Preservation Commission during a May 4, 2013 celebration.*

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT**

**RESOLVED**, *the Erie County Legislature pauses in its deliberations to recognize and honor the Clarence Town Park Club House for being named to the National Register of Historic Places.*

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**Edward A. Rath III**  
**Erie County Legislator – 6<sup>th</sup> District**

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**Robert M. Graber**  
**Clerk of the Legislature**